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USUN NEW YORK FOR AMBASSADOR FISHER

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TAGS: PARM UK US
SUBJECT: UK VIEWS ON DESTRUCTION OF CHEMICAL WEAPONS
FACILITIES

CW MESSAGE NO.40

REF: STATE 91690

1. UK RESPONSE (REFTEL) TO US QUESTION CONCERNING
DISPOSITION OF CHEMICAL WEAPONS PRODUCTION AND FILLING
FACILITIES APPEARS TO CONFIRM THAT, IN CONTRAST TO CURRENT
US POSITION THAT ALL SUCH FACILITIES SHOULD BE DESTROYED,
UK VIEW IS THAT FACILITIES WHICH WERE CONVERTED BEFORE
SOME (UNSPECIFIED) CUT-OFF DATE NEED NOT BE DESTROYED.
WITHOUT FURTHER DETAILS ON CONVERTED UK FACILITIES IT
COULD BE DIFFICULT TO KNOW HOW DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE
US AND UK POSITIONS CAN BEST BE RESOLVED. SUCH INFORMA-
TION AS THE DATES OF CONVERSION AND THE PRESENT USES OF
THE FACILITIES WOULD BE PARTICULARLY HELPFUL. IT WOULD
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ALSO BE USEFUL TO HAVE UK VIEWS ON THE LEVEL OF INSPEC-
TION WHICH WOULD BE ACCEPTABLE AT THE CONVERTED
FACILITIES.

2. THE FACILITIES PROBLEM COULD BE FURTHER DISCUSSED
DURING THE CUSTOMARY CONSULTATIONS AT THE END OF THIS
PRESENT ROUND, AND SUCH DISCUSSION WOULD BE GREATLY

FACILITATED IF THE UK COULD PROVIDE DETAILED INFORMATION
ON ITS FACILITIES AT THAT TIME.

3. SUGGEST THE UK BE INFORMED ALDNG THE FOREGOING LINES.
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